



Lions Clubs International  
**FOUNDATION**

# LIONS SHARE PROGRAM

## Together, We Can



# Our Foundation

Since 1968, Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF) has been empowering Lions to make a bigger impact. As we celebrate 50 years as the major grant-funding source for global Lions service in diabetes, vision, youth, humanitarian efforts, and disaster relief, LCIF is expanding its focus to include hunger, childhood cancer, and the environment. Through support from the Foundation, Lions like you will be able to implement larger humanitarian projects, help more people, and create more positive change.

Thank you for being an advocate for our Foundation!

## How to use this booklet:

This booklet is designed to help you collect donations for our Foundation. It contains talking points about the Foundation, the Lions Share program, and Campaign 100. It also includes donation forms. You can find additional tips and information on page 15.

## Steps:

1. When speaking with a potential donor, use the first five pages of this booklet to make a convincing case for why someone should donate to our Foundation.
2. Have the donor fill out a form with their information. Collect their donation.
3. If you have Lions Share pins, you can give one to the donor. If not, mark down that a pin has not been given to the donor so the Foundation staff knows to send them one.
4. When the forms are complete, please remove them from the booklet and send them and the collected donations to headquarters or email them to [donorassistance@lionsclubs.org](mailto:donorassistance@lionsclubs.org). You may also send in the whole booklet if all the forms are filled out within a short period of time. See page 15 for more details.



## Why Donate to the Foundation?

- ❖ 100% of your donation goes to LCIF programming
- ❖ LCIF is *our* Foundation
- ❖ LCIF's grassroots approach allows Lions to apply local knowledge, and make a global impact.
- ❖ Our team of passionate volunteers, technical advisors, and staff provide grant oversight, accountability, and expertise.
- ❖ Seven consecutive Four Star Charity Navigator ratings are a testament to LCIF's effectiveness, efficiency, and transparency. Donors can be confident their financial gifts are used to support the Foundation's global causes.

## The Lions Share Program

The Lions Share program is an annual program that recognizes individual donors for three levels of support. Lions Share supporters will earn a specially designed pin based on the level of support given. Donations are also eligible to go toward Melvin Jones Fellowship and Campaign 100 recognition.

For donations  
of US\$50:



For donations  
of US\$100:



For donations of  
US\$200 or more:



As a Lions Share supporter, you choose which fund you would like your gift to go toward. LCIF has two funds to choose from.

## EMPOWERING SERVICE FUND:

*An LCIF Campaign 100 fund supporting all Foundation causes.*



## THE DISASTER RELIEF FUND:

*An LCIF Campaign 100 fund supporting global disaster relief.*





# CAMPAIGN | 100

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*Campaign 100: LCIF Empowering Service,* will help Lions Clubs International Foundation raise US\$300 million by June 30, 2021.

**These funds will enable the Foundation to empower the service of Lions as they look to:**

❖ **Increase Service Impact**

For the areas of vision, youth, disaster relief, and humanitarian efforts.

❖ **Fight Diabetes**

Reduce prevalence and improve the quality of life.

❖ **Expand Global Causes**

Focus on hunger, childhood cancer, and the environment.



**Visit [LCIF.org/BE100](https://www.lcif.org/BE100) to learn more  
about this historic movement!**

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## Tips and Other Helpful Information

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Lions Clubs International Foundation  
Donor Services Department  
300 W. 22nd. Street  
Oak Brook, Illinois 60523-8842  
USA

- ❖ Checks collected should include the donor's member ID, if applicable.

- ❖ Wire Transfer Information:

JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.  
10 S. Dearborn Street  
Chicago, IL 60603  
ABA Routing No. 021000021  
Account Name: Lions Clubs International Foundation  
Account No. 754487312 (Be sure to use this account number.)  
Swift International Banking number: CHASUS33

Present the above information to your bank along with the local currency amount, plus bank charges, and request the wire transfer of U.S. dollars to LCIF's bank. Next, fax or mail a copy of the receipt or wire transfer form to LCIF. Include on the form the recipient's name, district, club and member number as well as the donor's name, district and club number, and the form of recognition requested (i.e., Lions Share, MJF, club plaque, etc.).

- ❖ For other ways you can send in donations, visit the "More Ways to Give" section on [LCIF.org](http://LCIF.org).
- ❖ Questions? Contact Donor Services at (630) 203-3836 or at [donorassistance@lionsclubs.org](mailto:donorassistance@lionsclubs.org)



## OUR MISSION:

To support the efforts of Lions clubs and partners in serving communities locally and globally, giving hope and impacting lives through humanitarian service projects and grants.

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